CITY OF NEWPORT RESOLUTION NO. 3725

A Resolution Adopting the City of Newport Representation in the Updates to the Lincoln County Multi-Jurisdictional Natural Hazards Mitigation Plan

WHEREAS, the City of Newport recognizes the threat that natural hazards pose to people, property and infrastructure within our community; and

WHEREAS, undertaking hazard mitigation actions will reduce the potential for harm to people, property and infrastructure from future hazard occurrences; and

WHEREAS, an adopted Natural Hazards Mitigation Plan is required as a condition of future funding for mitigation projects under multiple FEMA pre- and post-disaster mitigation grant programs; and

WHEREAS, the City of Newport has fully participated in the FEMA prescribed mitigation planning process to prepare the *Lincoln County, Multi-Jurisdictional Natural Hazard Mitigation Plan*, which has established a comprehensive, coordinated planning process to eliminate or minimize these vulnerabilities; and

WHEREAS, the City of Newport has identified natural hazard risks and prioritized a number of proposed actions and programs needed to mitigate the vulnerabilities of the City of Newport to the impacts of future disasters within the *Lincoln County, Multi-Jurisdictional Natural Hazard Mitigation Plan*; and

WHEREAS, these proposed projects and programs have been incorporated into the *Lincoln County, Multi-Jurisdictional Natural Hazard Mitigation Plan* that has been prepared and promulgated for consideration and implementation by the cities of Lincoln County; and

WHEREAS, the Oregon Office of Emergency Management and Federal Emergency Management Agency, Region X officials have reviewed the *Lincoln County, Multi-Jurisdictional Natural Hazard Mitigation Plan* and pre-approved it (dated, August 19, 2015) contingent upon this official adoption of the participating governments and entities;

WHEREAS, the NHMP is comprised of four main elements: Basic Plan, Hazard Annex, City Addenda, and Mitigation Resources, collectively referred to herein as the NHMP; and

WHEREAS, the NHMP is in an on-going cycle of development and revision to improve its effectiveness; and

WHEREAS, City of Newport adopts the NHMP and directs the Newport City Manager to develop, approve, and implement the mitigation strategies and any administrative changes to the NHMP.

Based on these findings,

THE CITY OF NEWPORT RESOLVES AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. The City of Newport adopts the Lincoln County Multi-Jurisdictional Natural Hazards Mitigation Plan as an official plan; and

Section 2. The City of Newport will submit this Adoption Resolution to the Oregon Office of Emergency Management and Federal Emergency Management Agency, Region X officials to enable final approval of the *Lincoln County Multi-Jurisdictional Natural Hazards Mitigation Plan*.

Section 3: The effective date of this resolution is September 8, 2015.

Adopted by a 7 - 0 vote of the Newport City Council on September 8, 2015.

Signed on September 9, 2015.

Sandra N. Roumagoux, Mayor

ATTEST:

Margaret M. Hawker, City Recorder

Approved as to form:

Steve Rich, City Attorney